



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 538

LCO No. 1250

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

SEN. MCKINNEY, 28th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING PLEA AGREEMENTS BY SEXUAL OFFENDERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That title 54 of the general statutes be amended to provide that
- 2 whenever a person is charged with an offense requiring registration as
- 3 a sexual offender under chapter 969 of the general statutes, the court
- 4 shall not accept a plea agreement that would allow such person to
- 5 plead guilty to an offense that does not require such registration unless
- 6 the prosecutor, in open court, provides sufficient information on the
- 7 record as to the reasons for not requiring such person to register as a
- 8 sexual offender.

Statement of Purpose:

To deter plea agreements by persons charged with sexual offenses that would allow the person to avoid registration as a sexual offender.